## Cladophora in Lake Michigan: Current perspectives from the research community

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## **Overview - Six Questions**

- What are the impacts of Cladophora on ecosystem and human health?
- What is the magnitude of the current Cladophora problem relative to the past?
- What do we know about the spatial distribution of Cladophora in Lake Michigan and other Great Lakes?
- Is there evidence for the causes of the problems? Is it the same for all the Great Lakes?
- What management strategies are possible and which are being applied?
- What are the priorities for future research?



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